

DESCENDANTS OF JOHN BROWN
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1.JOHN BROWN

John Brown was born about 1730 and died in present day Lewis County WV between October 1, 1807 and February 1, 1808. He married Eleanor Bogardus.

John's will was dated October 1, 1807 and he stated that he was "sick and weak". The will was probated February 1, 1808. The family is listed in Cumberland County PA in 1756 and apparently moved to Hampshire County VA about 1765. They appear on the tax rolls of Harrison County VA beginning in 1785.

A 400 acre tract of land in present day Lewis County was surveyed for John August 30, 1785 and this tract was granted to him June 14, 1788 by virtue of his settling there prior to January 1, 1778. At the time, their holding was on White Oak Flat Run. It is now known as Broad Run.

John Brown, with other immigrants, constructed a fort of logs about a mile from the mouth of the run and named it the Mongue (Mung) Fort. In 1804, they built a log church on land donated by the Brown family, calling it the Broad Run after the Broad Run Baptist Church in eastern VA, their old home.

Children of John and Eleanor (Bogardus) Brown.

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| 2. | (1). | James | b. | 1756 | d.Sep 13 1835 |
| | | m.Sarah Shepherd | | | |
| 3. | (2). | Edward | b.c. | 1763 | |
| | | m.Mary ----- | | | |
| 4. | (3). | John J. | b.c. | 1764 | d. 1835 |
| | | m.Margaret Carpenter May 4 1791 | | | |
| 5. | (4). | Mary | b.Oct 26 1769 | d.Jul 16 1844 | |
| | | m.Balser Flesher Oct 15 1789 | | | |
| 6. | (5). | Catherine | b.c. | 1770 | |
| | | m.John McCann Oct 31 1789 | | | |
| 7. | (6). | Stephen | b.c. | 1770 | |
| 8. | (7). | Sarah | b. | 1775 | |
| | | m.Edward Tanner Aug 2 1792 | | | |

2.JAMES BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

James Brown, a son of John and Eleanor (Bogardus) Brown, was born in Cumberland County PA in 1756 and died in Lewis County VA (WV) September 14, 1835. He married Sarah Shepherd. Sarah, a daughter of John and Sarah Shepherd, was born in Hampshire County VA about 1760 and died in Lewis County in 1835.

James served the Colonies in the American Revolution. The following is from Ross B. Johnston's "West Virginians in the Revolution." "Brown, James: Service-Va. No.12650. No.S-6718. He resided in Hampshire County, now Hardy, when the war began and resided in Lewis County in 1832 where he applied for a pension. A certificate was issued 16 May 1833 but was later dropped. He enlisted March 1776 and served two years under Ensign Isaac Parson, Colonel Gibson. and General McIntosh and was an Indian spy under Captain Tanner and Colonel Lowther. He held three discharges from Summers, Parsons, and Stump with supporting papers from John Brown, a brother, and Mark Smith."

Children of James and Sarah (Shepherd) Brown.

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| 9. | (1). | Nancy | | | |
| | | m. John Schoolcraft Jul 13 1805 | | | |
| 10. | (2). | Samuel | b.Mar | 1793 | d. 1866 |
| | | m. Elizabeth Bailey | | | |
| 11. | (3). | Sarah | b.Mar | 1793 | |
| | | m. Carr Bailey Apr 12 1811 | | | |

4.JOHN J. BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

John J. Brown, a son of John and Eleanor (Bogardus) Brown, was born in Cumberland County PA in 1764 and died in VA in 1835. He married Margaret Carpenter in Harrison County VA May 4, 1781. Margaret was a daughter of Nicholas Carpenter. Nicholas was a well known resident of

Harrison County, former sheriff, and was killed by Indians October 4, 1791, on Carpenter's Run near Waverly, WV.
John a Revolutionary War veteran (Va No 12649 & No S 6720) and served as a frontier ranger. He served as a scout for six months at the mouth of the Little Kanawha River (Parkersburg). He spent three months in Randolph County. He served as Ensign John Brown in Captain George Jackson's Company and joined General George Rogers Clark at the falls of the Ohio (Louisville). They arrived in August 1781 and remained three months.

Known children of John Jr. and Margaret (Carpenter) Brown.

12. (1). Margaret
m. William Radcliff
13. (2). Thomas
m. Martha Stalnaker
14. (3). James
m. Susan or Susannah Stalnaker
15. (4). William
m. Judith Stalnaker
16. (5). Samuel
17. (6). Thomas
m. Mary Stalnaker
18. (7). David Ellsworth b.c. 1801
m. Deborah Stalnaker Feb 15 1827

10.SAMUEL BROWN 2.JAMES BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

Samuel Brown, a son of James and Sarah (Shepherd) Brown, was born in VA in March 1793 and died in 1866. He married Elizabeth Bailey. Elizabeth, a daughter of William and Elizabeth (Minter) Bailey, was born in Fauquier County, VA in 1798 and died in 1875. He was a farmer, sometimes carpenter and doctor, after a fashion of the early settlers, administering to his patients with roots and herbs.

Known children of Samuel and Elizabeth (Bailey) Brown.

19. (1). Pascal Peola b. Sep 2 1820 d. Apr 26 1910
m. Mary Jane Brown Apr 8 1852
20. (2). William A.J. b.c. 1829
m. Sarah -----
21. (3). Waldo Bailey b. 1831 d. 1924
m. Mary Elizabeth Norris

11.SARAH BROWN 2.JAMES BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

Sarah Brown, a daughter of James and Sarah (Shepherd) Brown, was born in Va about 1793. She married Carr Bailey April 12, 1811. Carr, a son of William and Mary (Minter) Bailey, was born in VA about 1792.

Known children of Carr and Sarah Bailey.

22. (1). Carr Jr. b.c. 1817
m.Sarah Romine
23. (2). Mandeville b.c. 1822
24. (3). Elizabeth b.c. 1828
25. (4). Mary J. b.c. 1838
26. (5). Albert b.c. 1842

13.THOMAS BROWN 4.JOHN J. BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

Thomas Brown, a son of John Jr. and Margaret (Carpenter) Brown, was born in VA about 1797 and died in Lewis County VA about 1845. He married Martha Stalnaker in 1813 in Harrison County VA. Martha, a daughter of Samuel and Susannah (Radcliff) Stalnaker, was born in VA about 1799. She is listed as a head of a household in the 1850 Lewis County VA census.

Known children of Thomas and Martha (Stalnaker) Brown.

27. (1). William H. b.c. 1830

28.	(2).	Sarah	b.c.	1831
29.	(3).	Elizabeth	b.c.	1831
30.	(4).	Alexander	b.c.	1833
31.	(5).	Basil	b.c.	1835
32.	(6).	James	b.c.	1837
33.	(7).	Nancy	b.c.	1839
34.	(8).	Amanda	b.c.	1840
35.	(9).	Lucy	b.c.	1841

14.JAMES BROWN 4.JOHN J. BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

James Brown, a son of John Jr. and Margaret (Carpenter) Brown, was born in VA about 1799. He married Susannah Stalnaker. Susannah, a daughter of Samuel and Susannah (Radcliff) Stalnaker, was born in VA about 1798.

Known children of James and Susannah (Stalnaker) Brown.

36.	(1).	Delilah	b.c.	1827
37.	(2).	William J.	b.c.	1830
38.	(3).	Eunice	b.c.	1833

18.DAVID ELLSWORTH BROWN 4.JOHN J. BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

David Ellsworth Brown, a son of John Jr. and Margaret (Carpenter) Brown, was born in Harrison County VA (WV) about 1801 and died in Titchy County WV in 1889. He married Deborah Stalnaker February 15, 1827 in Lewis County VA. Deborah, a daughter of Samuel and Susannah (Radcliff) Stalnaker, was born in VA in 1806 and died in Ritchie County VA in 1861.

The family lived near Jackson's Mill in Lewis County. David was a miller and, at one time, helped rebuild the famous mill. Their children were all born in Lewis County and two of them, I think it was George and Samuel, went to school to a Thomas Jackson who became very well known during the Civil War for holding his ground like a "Stonewall."

David and Deborah moved to Ritchie County VA (WV) in 1856 and bought three hundred acres of the original Andrew Law farm on the Left Fork of Bone Creek (near Auburn). He bought the old Nutter Mill near Holbrook and rebuilt it. Deborah died in 1861 and David died in 1889. They are both buried at the Auburn Community Cemetery.

Their first child was Joseph Calvin Brown, who was born 1829 and died in California. Joseph went to California during the gold rush of 1849.

Sylvanus White wrote in 1911 from California: "I will now give you the names of the little party that left Virginia the first day of April, 1849 bound for California. We left my fathers home, John White, on Freeman's Creek. In the party were Cummins E. Jackson (Stonewall's uncle), Edward J. Jackson (son of David), Joseph Calvin Brown (son of David E.), myself and brother George, all of Lewis County. James T. Jackson of Parkersburg; Jonathan Ireland and John Gibson of Upshur County; White and Griffin Vineyard of Randolph County; and from Gilmer County - Shelton Furr, Othello Hays, Samuel Covert, William and Morgan Queen."

Children of David Ellsworth and Deborah (Stalnaker) Brown.

38.	(1).	Joseph Calvin	b.	1829	d.	1849
		Died in CA during the gold rush.				
39.	(2).	Mary Jane	b.	1830	d.	1916
		m. Pascal Peola Brown				
40.	(3).	William Randfrew	B.	1831		
		m. Rebecca Ann Willard				
41.	(4).	Edward Marshall "Doc"	b.	1832	d.	1911
		m. Caroline E. Tharpe	1859	(1843-1877)		
		m. Rachel Zinn	1881	(1827-1924)		
42.	(5).	Samuel Valentine	b.c.	1836		
		m. Sarah Carroll				

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| 43. | (6). | George Whitman
m. Frances Nutter | b.c. | 1838 | d. | 1902 |
| 44. | (7). | Caroline
m. Elijah Summers | b.c. | 1840 | | |
| 45. | (8). | John M.
m. Elizabeth Collins | b. | 1842 | d. | 1913 |
| 46. | (9). | Andrew Stalnaker | b. | 1844 | d. | 1901 |

19.PASCAL PEOLA BROWN 10.SAMUEL BROWN 2.JAMES BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

Pascal Peola Brown, a son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Bailey) Brown, was born September 2, 1820 and died April 26, 1910. He married Mary Jane Brown April 8, 1852 in Lewis County VA. Mary, daughter of David Edward and Deborah (Stalnaker) Brown, was born in Lewis County VA about 1832.

Pascal was clerk of the Broad Run Church from 1884 to 1910. On March 20, 1878, his home burned, destroying all the records in his possession.

Children of Pascal Peola and Mary Jane (Brown) Brown.

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| 47. | (1). | Floyd Green | b.c. | 1853 | | |
| 48. | (2). | Samuel Leroy
m. Margaret Life Dec 25 1879 | b.Sep 14 1857 | | d.Mar 13 1937 | |
| 49. | (3). | David Edward | b. | 1860 | | |
| 50. | (4). | William Grant | | | | |
| 51. | (5). | Mary | | | | |

20.WILLIAM A.J. BROWN 10.SAMUEL BROWN 2.JAMES BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

William A.J. Brown, a son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Bailey) Brown, was born in VA about 1829. He married Sarah ----. Sarah was born in VA about 1833.

Known children of William A.J. and Sarah Brown.

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| 52. | (1). | Claudius A. | b.c. | 1856 | | |
| 53. | (2). | Caroline V. | b.c. | 1856 | | |
| 54. | (3). | Washington | b.c. | 1859 | | |

21.WALDO BAILEY BROWN 10.SAMUEL BROWN 2.JAMES BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

Waldo Bailey Brown, a son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Bailey) Brown, was born in Lewis County VA in 1831 and died in 1924. He married Elizabeth Mary Elizabeth Norrris. Mary Elizabeth, a daughter of John B. and Jemima (Spilman) Norris, was born in Lewis County in 1837 and died in 1915.

Known children of Waldo Bailey and Mary Elizabeth (Norris) Brown.

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| 55. | (1). | Roberta | b.c. | 1855 | | |
| 56. | (2). | Lloyd | b.c. | 1857 | | |
| 57. | (3). | Martha E. | b.c. | 1858 | | |
| 58. | (4). | Cora Belle
m. Jefferson Lee Kelley Oct 7 1888 | b. | 1865 | d. | 1937 |

40.WILLIAM RANDFREW BROWN 18.DAVID ELLSWORTH BROWN 4.JOHN J. BROWN
1.JOHN BROWN

William Randfrew Brown, a son of David Ellsworth and Deborah (Stalnaker) Brown, was born in Lewis County Va in 1831. He married Rebecca Ann Willard.

Children of William Randfrew and Rebecca Ann (Willard) Brown.

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| 59. | (1). | Ozenia
m. Thomas Lipscomb | | | | |
| 60. | (2). | Mary | | | | |

m. Francis Hodge

61. (3). William Randfrew b. 1861 d. 1925
m. Clara Summers

62. (4). Thomas A. b. 1863
m. Cora Powers

41.EDWARD MARSHALL BROWN 18.DAVID ELLSWORTH BROWN 4.JOHN J. BROWN
1.JOHN BROWN

Edward Marshall "Doc" Brown, a son of David Ellsworth and Deborah (Stalnaker) Brown, was born in 1832 and died in 1911. He married Caroline E. Tharpe in 1859. Caroline, a daughter of Timothy and Sarah (Cox Tharpe) was born in 1843 and died in 1877.

Edward married Rachel Zinn in 1881. Rachel was born in 1827 and died in 1924.

Edward served the Union in the Civil War in Co E 6th W.Va. Volunteer Infantry. He was a miller and horse breeder, and was called "Doc" for his skills in using plants and herbs for medicinal purposes. He owned mills at Holbrook, Berea, and Auburn in Ritchie County. He lived at Holbrook and later bought a 180 acre farm near Auburn.

Children of Edward Marshall and Caroline E. (Tharpe) Brown.

63. (1). Deborah Florence b. 1861 d. 1938
m. Matthew Ward (1860-1929)

64. (2). Sarah b. 1863 d. 1944
m. J.K.P. Connolly

65. (3). Ella
m. Wirt Tucker

66. (4). Joseph Newton b. 1866 d. 1938
m. Lelia Sommerville

67. (5). Albert Carl b. 1867 d. 1903
m. Isa Sommerville

68. (6). Emery Ellsworth b. 1870 d. 1944
m. Edna Floss Luzader (1885-1978)

42.SAMUEL VALENTINE BROWN 18.DAVID ELLSWORTH BROWN 4.JOHN J. BROWN
1.JOHN BROWN

Samuel Valentine Brown, a son of David Ellsworth and Deborah (Stalnaker) Brown, was born in Lewis County VA about 1836. Sarah, a daughter of Godfrey and Mary Carroll, was born about 1840.

Samuel served the Union in the Civil War in Co M 6th W.Va. Volunteer Infantry.

Children of Samuel Valentine and Sarah (Carroll) Brown.

69. (1). Dorsey
m. Lora Collins

70. (2). Stump

71. (3). James

72. (4). Ada
m. Will Osbourn

43.GEORGE WHITMAN BROWN 18.DAVID ELLSWORTH BROWN 4.JOHN J. BROWN
1.JOHN BROWN

George Whitman Brown, a son of David Ellsworth and Deborah (Stalnaker) Brown, was born in Lewis County Va about 1838 and died in WY in 1902. He married Frances Estaline Nutter in Ritchie County WV September 12, 1867. Frances, a daughter of Christopher and Sarah Ann (Swisher) Nutter, was born in Ritchie County VA (WV) February 4, 1848.

Frances died young and George went to Wyoming and died therein 1902.

George served the Union in the Civil War in Co K 6th W.Va. Volunteer Infantry.

Children of George Whitman and Frances Estaline (Nutter) Brown.

73. (1). Laura Bird
m.Lafayette Constable

74. (2). Joseph Francis

75. (3). W.R.

44.CAROLINE BROWN 18.DAVID ELLSWORTH BROWN 4.JOHN J. BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

Caroline Brown, a daughter of David Ellsworth and Deborah (Stalnaker) Brown, was born in Lewis County VA about 1840. She married Elijah Summers. Elijah, a son of Elijah and Susan (Barnett) Summers, was born in VA about 1840. They lived at Summers, Doddridge County WV.

Children of Elijah and Caroline (Brown) Summers.

76. (1). Oscar
m. Lottie Stinespring

77. (2). Grant

78. (3). Porter

79. (4). Byrd

80. (5). Ray

81. (6). Maude b. 1887 b. 1967

82. (7). Lucy b. 1873 d. 1948
m. married Will Haught (1876-1957)

83. (8). Clara
m. William Randfrew Brown

46.ANDREW STALNAKER BROWN 18.DAVID ELLSWORTH BROWN 4.JOHN J. BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

Andrew Stalnaker Brown, a son of David Ellsworth and Deborah (Stalnaker) Brown, was born in 1844 in Lewis County VA and died in WY in 1901. Andrew went to WY in 1875 and owned a ranch on the Powder River. He became known as Arapaho Brown because of his friendship with the Indians He was a notable participant in the Johnson County war between the locals and Texas cattlemen. He was credited with constructing a fort on wheels that was used during a major fight that led to the Texans leaving WY. His picture still hangs in a museum in Buffalo, WY.

48.SAMUEL LEROY BROWN 19.PASCAL PEOLA BROWN 10.SAMUEL BROWN 2.JAMES BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

Samuel Leroy Brown, a son of Pascal Peola and Mary Jane (Brown) Brown, was born in Lewis County VA September 14, 1857 and died March 13, 1937. He married Margaret Life December 25, 1879. Margaret, a daughter of Noah and Margaret (Alkire) Life, was born Augsut 15, 1857 and died March 13, 1936.

Children of Samuel Leroy and Margaret (Life) Brown.

84. (1). Hadie Leah

85. (2). David Edward b.Jul 15 1884 d.May 2 1968
m. Lulu McCauley Roe Mar 19 1909

86. (3). Okey Life

87. (4). Isaac

88. (5). Samuel Leroy Jr.

60.MARY BROWN 40.WILLIAM RANDFREW BROWN 18.DAVID ELLSWORTH BROWN 4.JOHN J. BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

Mary Brown, a daughter of William Randfrew and Rebecca Ann (Willard) Brown, married Francis Hodge.

Children of Francis and Mary (Brown) Hodge.

89. (1). Eloshia
m. Dr. Casto

61.WILLIAM RANDFREW BROWN 40.WILLIAM RANDFREW BROWN 18.DAVID ELLSWORTH BROWN 4.JOHN J. BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

William Randfrew Brown, a son of William Randfrew and Rebecca Ann (Willard) Brown, was born in Doddridge County VA (WV) and died there in 1925. He married Clara Summers.

Children of William Randfrew and Clara (Summers) Brown.

- 90. (1). Oley
- 91. (2). Tom
- 92. (3). Fred
- 93. (4). Ed
- 94. (5). Gladys
m. William Jones

62.THOMAS A. BROWN 40.WILLIAM RANDFREW BROWN 18.DAVID ELLSWORTH BROWN 4.JOHN J. BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

Thomas A. Brown, a son of William Randfrew and Rebecca Ann (Willard) Brown, was born in Doddridge County WV in 1863. He married Cora Powers.

Children of Thomas A. and Cora (Powers) Brown.

- 95. (1). Thomas
- 96. (2). Paul
- 97. (3). Marion Hope
m. David Goldenberg

63.DEBORAH FLORENCE BROWN 41.EDWARD MARSHALL BROWN 18.DAVID ELLSWORTH BROWN 4.JOHN J. BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

Deborah Florence Brown, a daughter of Edward Marshall and Caroline E. (Tharpe) Brown, was born in Lewis County VA in 1861 and died in 1938. She married Matthew Ward in Gilmer County WV November 16, 1882. Matthew, a son of George Washington and Margaret (Maddox) Ward, was born in 1860 and died in Lewis County WV in 1929.

Children of Matthew and Florence Deborah (Brown) Ward.

- 98. (1). Essie Leo b. 1884 d. 1949
m.Oliver Worthy West Dec 31 1911
- 99. (2). Winnie Maude b. 1885 d. 1957
m.Scipio Lewis Dec 11 1904
- 100. (3). Meade b. 1887 d. 1950
m.Gertrude Turner 1920
- 101. (4). Gertie b. 1889 d. 1956
m.Grover Cleveland Kirkpatrick Jan 2 1909
- 102. (5). Fred b. 1892 d. 1962
m.Angeline Bouton Mar 23 1921

64.SARAH BROWN 41.EDWARD MARSHALL BROWN 18.DAVID ELLSWORTH BROWN 4.JOHN J. BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

Sarah Brown, a daughter of Edward Marshall and Caroline E. (Tharpe) Brown, was born in 1863 and died in 1944. She married J.K.P. Connolly.

Children of J.K.P and Sarah (Brown) Connally.

- 103. (1). Ralph b. 1899 d. 1942
- 104. (2). John b. 1897 d. 1958
- 105. (3). Ruth b. 1901 d. 1957
m. Ernest Goff

65.ELLA BROWN 41.EDWARD MARSHALL BROWN 18.DAVID ELLSWORTH BROWN 4.JOHN J. BROWN 1.JOHN BROWN

Ella Brown, a daughter of Edward Marshall and Caroline E. (Tharpe) Brown, married Wirt Tucker.

Children of Wirt and Ella (Brown) Tucker.

- 106. (1). Bernice
m. Ford Stasel
- 107. (2). Lona

Joseph Newton Brown, a son of Edward Marshall and Caroline E. (Tharpe) Brown, was born in 1866 and died in OK in 1938. He married Lelia Sommerville.

108. (1). John

110. (3). Friend

111. (4) . Joseph S.

112. (5) . Edward Miles

113. (6). Eugene b. 1915

Albert Carl Brown, a son of Edward Marshall and Caroline E. (Tharpe) Brown, was born in 1867 and died in 1903. He married Isa Sommerville.

114. (1). Haney W.
m. Inez Hall

115. (2). Ruth
m. Ira Spurgeon

116. (3). Pauline
m. Denzil White

Emery Ellsworth, a son of Edward Marshall and Caroline E. (Tharpe) Brown, was born in Ritchie County WV in 1870 and died in 1944. He married Edna Flossie Luzader. Edna, a daughter of Winfield Scott and Clara (Davis) Luzader, was born in 1885 and died in 1978.

117. (1). Winifred June b. Jun 20 1914 d. 1983
m. Paul J. Scott 1937 (1914-1980)

Dorsey Brown, a son of Samuel Valentine and Sarah (Carroll) Brown, married Lora Collins.

118. (1). Carroll

119. (2). Whitman

David Edward Brown, a son of Samuel Leroy and Margaret (Life) Brown, was born July 15, 1884 and died May 2, 1968. On March 19, 1909 he married Lulu McCauley Roe in Harrison County WV. Lulu, a daughter of John William and Sarah Elizabeth (Riddle) Roe, was born March 20, 1886 in Gilmer County WV and died February 24, 1983.

120. (1). James Lynn b. Mar 5 1910 d. Jun 12 1997

121. (2). Glenn Life b. Feb 12 1912

122. (3). Margaret Jane

b. Apr 27 1918

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